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GALVESTON is prepared for the cholera now, having elected an M. D. to the mayoralty.

The Laredo News is publishing a series of very interesting letters from Monterey, Mexico.

Printer's ink costs money but it makes money too, for the man who uses it to advertise his business.

Dr. Bugge's should now go on a lecturing tour. He is one of the most extensively advertised men in America.

CAMERON COUNTY soil is the best and cheapest investment in the state, and this fact is gradually becoming known abroad.

AFTER ten consecutive years as mayor of Galveston, R. L. Fillion was defeated Monday, and A. W. Fly was elected to the office.

No decent person can afford not to shut up his billingsgate.—Galveston News.

No decent person would own such a gato.

Another revolution threatened in South America. If the "dog-head" peninsula didn't keep up revolutions all the time in its various republics, it wouldn't appear in print very often.

The president keeps people guessing about that extra session. He is as mum as an oyster on the subject, and nobody knows when he will call it; or whether he intends to call it at all.

The tide is setting towards Cameron county slowly but surely. More letters—and business letters, too, are daily received, inquiring about land, etc. "Facts and Figures" on last page of THE HERALD are doing their work.

It is thought very probable by those best posted that the railroad represented by Mr. Headen will be constructed. Very good. Most likely, as soon as work gets under way the Arkansas Pass from Alice, or the Southern Pacific from Beeville will push across the country to Brownsville.

RAILROAD projects don't seem to materialize to any extent in Texas these days. The Express, notwithstanding this fact, is trying to stir up San Antonio on the subject of building an air line road to Galveston. If it succeeds, somebody ought to engage the Express to whoop up the "Picket Line."

THE noted case of Lizzie Borden the woman who is charged with having brutally murdered her father and step-mother with an ax, is now on trial at New Bedford, Massachusetts. The evidence, which is entirely circumstantial, seems to point conclusively to the guilt of the defendant, but it is difficult to believe that a young woman totally unfamiliar with crime or vice could commit such a cold blooded murder, and yet appear so innocent. Such a murder must have been the work of a hardened criminal.

LOTTA IS AN ACTRESS.

The day has passed when a good woman must be damned by society for playing on the stage as a professional actress. It is common now for women to make their own way in the world, exercising in the battle of life whatever of talent or genius they may be endowed with. Not so very long ago, the woman who dared to write for publication was scorned by the world, yet today she who can succeed in literature is honored among both men and women. So has it been with other professions—and so is it with the stage. There have been many shining examples of actresses whose genius compelled the applause of millions and whose noble, womanly character gained respect and social homage as well. Yet, the other day in New York, the Sorosis—a woman's society—refused admission to Miss Lotta Crabtree, known to the world as Lotta, "because she is an actress." The following remarks by the New York Advertiser on the subject show how the action of the Sorosis is regarded by those who ought to know:

The story of the rejection the other day of the application for membership of Miss Lotta Crabtree by the society known as the Sorosis has not made a favorable impression upon the public and will not commend the society itself to public approval. In opposition to Miss Crabtree the charge was made that she is an actress. The charge is well founded. Lotta is an actress, and a remarkable good one, too. No woman of her age has done more to amuse and brighten the lives of the toiling millions of America than she. Her name is a household word all over the land. More than this, Miss Crabtree has lived in the broad illumination that floods the modern stage under which all the lights and shades of her character have been emphasized, and has come out of the ordeal with a reputation not only untarnished, but made most enviable because of the sterling good qualities which have been discovered in her. While the breath of scandal has never touched her, the voice of praise has never been silent when her name was mentioned among those who knew her well.

TWENTY SIX lives were lost in the horrible Fuento mine disaster last Saturday—and nearly as many families left destitute and helpless. When it was discovered that the mine was on fire, two men near the front sounded the alarm, which had it been heeded would have saved the lives of the other miners, but, alas the alarm had been given often formerly only in a joke, and now the doomed creatures only laughed back and cried: "It is false." They had been fooled too often, so the alarm which might have saved them passed unheeded, and death claimed them for his victims. Surely a hideous example this for the silly fools who engage in the pastime of practical joking.

THOUSANDS upon thousands of tons of rage gathered in the cholera districts of Europe last year have been shipped to the United States during the past winter and spring, and without being disinfected. If this country escapes cholera this year, it will be because divine Providence smiles upon it—not because of any precautions on the part of the officials to prevent its coming. On the contrary, it would seem that the latch string has been left conspicuously out for the plague to enter.

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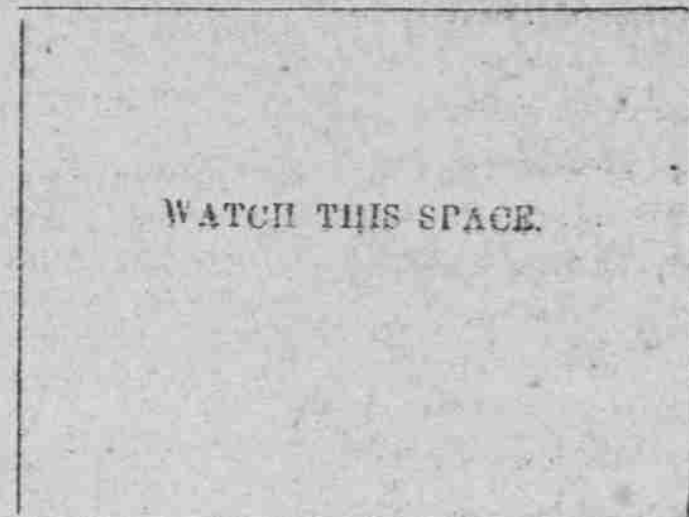
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Brownsville, Tex. Feb. 23, 1893.

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